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SUBJECT:  Meeting with Bernie McMahon
(SSCI), 20 June 1986, Concerning Forthcoming
Personnel Hearings

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1.  provided the following information. His MOR will be sent about 24 June.

Bernie McMahon said SSCI was trying to be helpful and it was not a witchhunt. Their look at "personnel" would include NSA, DIA, CIA, INR and to a lesser degree FBI Intell Division and they are going to look at four areas--analysis, CI, Clandestine HUMINT collection and technical. The SSCI Staff would organize a team to go to each Agency. They will take separate views from each Agency and do not plan to merge all the data into a integrated report. They will submit findings and recommendations.





The first hearing is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, 24 July. Each Agency's principal officer or his designee will describe long-range goals and resources. SSCI is drafting a letter to each Agency describing their needs for information. This letter should be received in early July. SSCI teams will probably began work before 24 July and may come out to Langley soon.

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 talking in the car enroute back from the Hill, thought CIA should establish teams also. Teams should include DI, DS&T, DO, and DA representatives.  thought that he should get one OP officer who was specialized in each Directorate and tie this group with the principal representative from each Directorate.  offered to coordinate this working group and obtain other ad hoc support as needed. I asked  what does SSCI include when they talk of looking into "personnel." He said they were not clear in defining just what their broad look would include. They did say it would not include security processing as this has already been handled. They did mention looking at areas of expertise, language skills, but have not further defined their quest. We could be asked to help them define what they are looking for.

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